

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 26, 1889.

Intimations.

Consignees.

Shipping.

Mails.

Sanitary Engineer, Local Government
London, says
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W. G. HUMPHREYS & Co.
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53 Hongkong, 31st November, 1889. E. L. WOOD
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141 C. D. HARMAN
Agent
Hongkong, 23rd November, 1919

[1] Hongkong, 13rd November, 1889.

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We have an assortment of Brushes and Combs from the best makers of the finest quality and finish procurable.
LEATHER TRAVELLING COMPANIONS.
To contain all Toilet necessities. Can be rolled into a small compact parcel for travelling. With or without the fittings.
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(With Interchangeable Blades).
Their blades, made of the very best English steel, forged very thin throughout, and hardened and tempered to the highest degree of perfection, will retain a keen edge for an incredible period, and with fair usage last a lifetime.
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OUR AERATED WATER MANUFACTORY is replete with the best Machinery, embodying all the latest improvements in the trade.

The greatest attention has been paid to appliances for ensuring purity in the Water supply, to secure which we have added a Condenser capable of supplying us with 3,000 gallons of distilled water a day, and are now in a position to compete in quality with the best English Makers. Our Sweet Waters cannot be surpassed anywhere.
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Raspberry	Pine Apple
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A table-spoonful (more or less according to taste) added to a tumbler of plain or aerated water forms a delicious beverage. The addition of Wines or Spirits produces excellent and piquant results.
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Sole Agents for Hongkong and China for MONTERRAT LIME FRUIT JUICE CORDIALS.
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Hongkong, China, and Manila. [5]

DEATH.
At 13 Victoria Place, Eastbourne, on October 18th last, aged 26 years, JOHN WILLMOTT, of the Hongkong Dispensary. Much esteemed and deeply regretted by all who knew him. Friends will please accept this intimation. [1405]

The Hongkong Telegraph

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TELEGRAMS.

THE PARNELL COMMISSION.

LONDON, November 18th.
The utmost sensation has been caused by a statement made by Mr. Molloy, M.P. for Kings County, in a speech at Sheffield. He states that the secret diary of Parnell and other documents have been discovered which demonstrate the complicity of the Government and the Times in publishing the forged letters.

AUSTRALIAN FEDERATION.

The Australian Colonies are generally averse to Sir Henry Parkes' proposed convention, and consider the present Federal Council sufficient for their needs.

LORD SALISBURY ON THE SITUATION.

November 18th.
Speaking at the Guildhall, Lord Salisbury rejoiced at the signs of increasing wealth on all sides, which he hoped would not be jeopardised by the disputes between labour and capital; he referred to the enormous progress in Egypt under the sheltering help of England, but said that the invasions during the present year and the overthrow of Emile Pasha prove that the shelter for Evacuation has not yet been reached. He said that England's policy in Europe was to keep

things as they are and that the barometer is distinctly rising towards peace.

PARIS.

PARIS, November 11th.
Any Boulangerist demonstration at the opening of the Chambers to-morrow is forbidden.

THE SOUDAN.

CAIRO, November 11th.
Osman Digna is at Dongola, engaged in collecting and organizing forces for a march Northwards.

GREECE AND TURKEY.

LONDON, November 12th.
In a debate on Crete in the Greek Parliament, M. Tricoupi said that Greece had steadily tried to cultivate cordial relations with Turkey, but such were impossible; henceforth Greece must aim at one day vindicating the rights of Crete.

FRANCE.

November 24th.
In despite of the opposition of M. Tirard, the Chamber of Deputies has passed the bill for the abolition of the match monopoly by a majority of sixty. M. Tirard's defeat has caused a great sensation.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

H.M.S. *Calliope* left Singapore, for home on the 10th inst.

THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s extra steamer *Venitia*, from Bombay, left Singapore for this port at 10 a.m. to-day.

We are still compelled to hold over a mass of interesting matter, but we hope to wipe off all arrears in to-morrow's issue.

The second session of the resuscitated Literary Society will commence on Thursday evening, when the President, Dr. Chalmers, will deliver an address.

AN Emergency meeting of Perseverance Lodge, No. 1165, will be held in Freemasons' Hall, Zealand Street, this evening, at 8.30 for 9 o'clock precisely. Visiting brethren are cordially invited.

THE statutory meeting of the Lamag Planting Co., Limited, was held at the offices of the General Agents, Messrs. Gibb, Livingston & Co., this morning. Mr. B. Layton presided, and Mr. H. L. Dalrymple, Mr. A. P. Stokes, and Mr. Harton (secretary) were present. The Chairman stated that the business was going on satisfactorily, and there was nothing else to report.—The proceedings then terminated.

OUR Tientsin contemporary of the 16th inst. says:—The ponds inside and outside the wall have been frozen over during the past week, the temperature falling on Tuesday, to 13 deg. below freezing point. In the lake on standing water froze to a depth of 4 inches. It is probable, however, that a spell of comparatively warm weather will follow. The migratory fowl are becoming scarce, large flocks of geese going south occasionally passing over the settlement.

THE Band of the A. & S. Highlanders will play at the Officers' Mess, Murray Barracks, this evening, commencing at 8.15 o'clock. The following will be the programme:—
Grand March "The Highlanders."
Selection "The Piper's Dream."
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At the Legislative Council meeting to-morrow the Orders of the Day will be:—

1. Report of the Finance Committee.
2. Mr. Ryrie, pursuant to notice, will move:—That the Executive be requested to lay on the table the existing agreement with the Opium Farmer and all papers relating thereto.
3. First reading of a Bill entitled "An Ordinance to apply a sum not exceeding One Million Two hundred and Eighty-seven thousand, Nine hundred and Eighty-three Dollars to the Public Service of the Year 1890."
4. Second reading of the following Bills:—
(a) The Supplementary Appropriation Bill.
(b) Expenses of trial, &c. of Criminal Lunatics.
(c) The Trade Marks Ordinance.
(d) Naturalization of Leung Shui.
(e) The Merchandise Marks Ordinance.
(f) The Police Force Consolidation Ordinance (Amendment).
(g) An Ordinance to amend Ordinance 14 of 1862, (Patents).

We take the following from Messrs. Wheelock & Co's Freight Market Report, of the 21st inst.:—We have no alteration to rep. in Home freights since we last wrote on the 8th inst. Consistently, there has been a large demand for steamers to load from Newchwang to Southern ports, principally Wampoa and a good many cargoes have been made at very high rates. The Northern ports will not close as soon as was expected, steamers arriving from there report still very mild weather. The fixtures for the coal-carrying trade between Nagasaki and this have chiefly been done in Japan by steamers arriving there homeward-bound via this port. In the grain trade from Wuhu and Chinkiang for the Southern ports, there is no demand; we hear that the export of rice has been prohibited. For London via usual points of call and Suez Canal, the berth is now occupied by Holt's steamship *Ulysses* and C. S. M. S. 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better-half, their conversation was overheard by a man, who wanted something to do, so he at once went and dressed himself in woman's attire, and presented himself, as an applicant for a maid-servant's situation. As he was of a rather pleasing countenance he managed to palm himself off as a girl and he was engaged in their service. He pleased his master and mistress very much, being very diligent. One day the mistress had to go to "Chin-chin joss" and ordered the servant to follow the chair (sedan) to the Temple. On the way there she noticed that the supposed girl's gait of walking was rather masculine; she made a searching enquiry afterwards and discovered the fraud which had been practiced upon them and the "maid" was at once sent to the authorities to be punished.

Outside of Tung-Wa gate, Peking, in the Nei-wu-fu district, there lived a Magistrate named Kung, with his family. On the 12th instant, in the night-time they were attacked by a band of fifty robbers, armed with revolvers, who forcibly opened the windows and entered the house. The first thing they did was to fire off a few shots in order to frighten the inmates, then they bound Kung up and threatened to kill him, if he refused to tell where all his treasure was kept, and failed to deliver up the keys of all the trunks. Their threat had the desired effect, so the robbers ransacked the place from top to bottom, and they took away the money, jewellery, and other valuables to the extent of 10,000. The thieves carried off their plunder in three carts. While they were passing a guard-house, eight soldiers came out, and tried to catch some of them; but the robbers soon made the soldiers understand that it was useless for them to attempt any arrest, so the latter withdrew from any further pursuit. It was snowing at the time, and if the soldiers wanted to catch them, it was an easy matter, as they could easily have got a reinforcement and followed the foot-prints. If such daring outrages are permitted to occur in this way, wealthy persons will become an easy prey for these rascals. Up to the present time none of the offenders have been caught.

The Tientsin Customs Tatal has issued a proclamation stating that he has received instructions from Li Hung-chang, Superintendent of Northern Trade, who had received a letter from the Chinese Resident Yuan, at Seoul, stating that at present all sailing vessels of all nationalities are landing goods at Mapo (in Korea) and sending the Customs Duties; and that they have now established a branch Customs House at that place. Yuan has, together with the Korean Foreign Office, drawn up a certain set of regulations, and issued printed certificates in order to prevent further smuggling. The proclamation says: "The above having been sanctioned by the Viceroy Li, he has ordered me to issue this notice with the regulations attached, so that all may know that in future, all goods imported to Mapo, Lungsan and Yang-hua-cheng must be subject to this regulation: All foreign and Korean vessels sailing from Chemulpo to Mapo will have their cargoes examined before they can proceed there. If it is a foreign-owned ship, then the respective Consuls must notify the Commissioner of Customs at Chemulpo, who will hand the ship's papers, together with the cargo certificate and the manifest to the Customs authorities, who will examine the said cargoes, and give an export cargo-certificate and manifest in return, to the Consuls, who will in turn give the same to the captains of such vessels, after which they can proceed to their destinations. If any vessels arrive without a certificate, the captain must sign a bond, only to go to such a place and return to Chemulpo at once, after discharging cargo. All vessels arriving at Mapo must present their manifest to the Customs who will see if the cargo is correct; if it is so, then they are at liberty to land the same. All sailing ships leaving Mapo with cargo must first have their goods examined and duty paid thereon; they can then clear for Chemulpo, where they will be examined according to the cargo certificates. Vessels wishing to proceed to Lung-san or Yang-hua-cheng must first go to the Mapo Branch Customs House to report all their cargo in detail, when everything will be inspected, and after paying duty, they will be allowed to clear for their destinations, and *vice versa* from these places. In case of vessels arriving at Chemulpo with cargo, but wishing to leave for any other port than those mentioned, the Chemulpo Customs will see what goods should pay duty and which should be exempted, which must be clearly stated on their respective cargo certificates. Should any cargo receive any injury from examination by the Customs' Wei-yuen, it should be reported, and if damages are to be compensated, a Wei-yuen will be despatched by the Chinese Resident, who will consult with the respective Consuls and the Commissioners of Customs, and such damage or injury will be adjusted. The Customs' Wei-yuen will examine all cargo between sunrise and sunset, whether on board of ships or in godowns or on wharves; but after these hours no cargo can be landed or cleared. No vessel can enter or clear or any examination be made by the Wei-yuens on public holidays. The Wei-yuens in examining the cargo must be careful not to break or injure any cargo, if they possibly can help it.

PEKING.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

14th November, 1889.
Mr. Otori, the new Japanese Minister, arrived here on the 10th. A large party of visitors and others left for the Great Wall on the 11th.
The Italian flag is now added to the list of foreign flags which float in the Chiang Mi Hsiang, the old Netherlands Legation becoming the residence of the Italian chargé d'affaires. The Rev. W. H. Murray has just secured possession of a house adjoining his present one, for the extension of his work among the blind. I suppose it may be fitly signed the "Miss Gordon Cumming Home for the Blind in Dry Fish Lane."

Our weather began to be very severe towards the end of October and beginning of November. Our unprecedented fall of snow during the first week of November left our streets in a puddle. Hard frost set in and froze the ruts, making locomotion difficult and uncomfortable. The lanes will remain most probably in this condition during the entire winter. At night the thermometer has fallen as low as 12° below freezing. At this season last year the weather was extremely mild.

I had lately to chronicle the arrival of two students, Messrs. Lallemand and Courant, with an *attaché*, M. Chavannes, at the French Legation, who have all studied Chinese at the School of Oriental Languages in Paris three years before coming to China. These students come to China, therefore, with a good knowledge of Chinese literature and the written language, but of course with imperfect speaking powers. The plan has many advantages. Two more students, Messrs. Girod and Beauville, who have just arrived, have also been students in Paris for three years at the Oriental School; and I learn that another student, *an attaché*, is shortly expected. Germany is following the French practice in educating her consular students at Berlin, or a half in the northern and one half in the southern dialect. She sends out to a large extent men already bred. The British plan is to send our future consular agents direct

to Peking, where she gives them a period of two years for the study of the language. This plan has also its advantages, especially for the spoken language. Which turns out the best men in the long run it would be difficult to say.

The third and concluding volumes of M. Huard, French Consul in Canton, on the Chinese spoken language, has just been issued from the Peking press, and certainly does much credit to both author and press. This volume is taken up with conversations, and their translation with valuable notes. The subjects of conversation embrace the ordinary topics such as one would meet with and must know in coming into intercourse with this people, such as invitations to dinner, new year's day visits, deliberations without success at the Taungli Yamien (an occurrence to all appearance which takes place very frequently); a visit to the Peking Paternoster Row with the view of buying books, offering presents and felicitations on the occasions of a marriage, and birthday; viewing the troussau; consultation with a physician and the visit of the doctor to a patient; on going to see a funeral; on obtaining preferment in office, thanking the Emperor, writing an official who is proceeding to his post and receiving one returning to the capital from his post; dinner at a restaurant; visit to the theatre; the *menu* of Chinese repast, and numerous other interesting subjects too many to chronicle. These conversations are followed by chapters dealing with the usages and customs of Peking during the four seasons, and these again by appendices on the reigning dynasty, with a list of the Emperors of the Chinese Empire, also of the mandarinates both civil and military. I have now before me the four good volumes, forming a valuable work for French beginners of the Chinese language. The first treats of an introduction to the study of the language, the general principles of the spoken language, and six appendices relating to the above two portions. The second volume is taken up with easy phrases and miscellaneous dialogues. The third is the one now issued, containing conversations, with translation and notes, and the fourth is the Chinese text of all. This work must prove useful not only in China and Tongking, but in the Oriental schools of Paris and Europe generally.—N. C. Daily News.

SCOTT'S Emulsion of Pure Cod Liver Oil with Hypophosphites, for Rickets, Marasmus and all wasting disorders of children, is very remarkable in its results. The rapidity with which children gain flesh and strength upon it is very wonderful. Read the following:—"I have tried Scott's Emulsion in cases of wasting in young children, and I am of opinion that it is a valuable preparation for such cases. The children take it and ask for more, and the good effects are apparent. I consider it far superior to ordinary Cod Liver Oil."—J. MARSHALL, M.R.C.S., &c., 143, Grange Road, Bermondsey, S.E. Any Chemist can supply it.—A. S. Watson & Co. (Ld.), agents in Hongkong and China.—[Adv.]

HONGKONG TEMPERATURE.

(From Messrs. Geo. Falconer & Co.'s Register.)

Barometer—9 a.m.	30.00
Barometer—4 p.m.	29.96
Thermometer—9 a.m.	74
Thermometer—4 p.m.	78
Thermometer—9 a.m. (Wet bulb)	71
Thermometer—4 p.m. (Wet bulb)	75
Thermometer—9 a.m. (Wind bulb)	73
Thermometer—4 p.m. (Wind bulb)	77
Thermometer—Maximum	79
Thermometer—Minimum (over night)	71

To-day's Advertisements.

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Children Half-price to all parts of the House.

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SEATS AND BOXES can be reserved at KELLY & WALSH, LIMITED.

ROBERT LOVE, General Agent.
Hongkong, 26th November, 1889. [1458]

FOR SHANGHAI.

THE Steamship

"PEKING."

Captain P. Schult, will be despatched for the above Port, on THURSDAY, the 28th instant, at 4 P.M.

For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSEN & Co.
Hongkong, 26th November, 1889. [1466]

ST. JOHN LODGE

OF HONGKONG,

No. 618, S.C.

AN EMERGENCY MEETING of the above LODGE will be held in FREEMASONS' HALL, Zealand Street, on THURSDAY, the 28th instant, at 5.30 P.M. precisely. Visiting Brethren are cordially invited.
Hongkong, 26th November, 1889. [1473]

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Hongkong, 18th November, 1889. [1212]

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, AND CALCUTTA.

THE Company's Steamship

"WINGSANG," Captain St. Croix, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 30th instant, at Noon, instead of as previously advertised.

This steamer has superior first class accommodation specially constructed to meet the requirements of tropical climates.

For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, 26th November, 1889. [1459]

UNION LINE.

FOR YOKOHAMA AND KOBE.

THE Steamship

"LINGFIELD," Captain Brunstrom, will be despatched for the above Ports, on FRIDAY, the 29th instant, at Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, 26th November, 1889. [1467]

UNION LINE.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM LONDON AND SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship

"LINGFIELD," Captain Brunstrom, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the undersigned for countersignature and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from along-side.

The steamer is berthed at Kowloon and Cargo impeding her discharge will be at once landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense and no Fire Insurance will be effected.

All claims against the steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 31st December, or they will not be recognized.

RUSSELL & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, 26th November, 1889. [1468]

HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

SHAREHOLDERS are hereby reminded that the EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING called for TO-MORROW, the 27th instant, to consider the proposal to alter Article No. 15 of the Company's Articles of Association, will be held in the Company's Hotel, at 3 P.M.

By Order, R. LYALL, Secretary.

Hongkong, 26th November, 1889. [1469]

NOTICE.

STOLEN.

THE following SHARE CERTIFICATES, namely:
One Share Certificate for 25 Shares in the China-Borneo Co., Ltd., 455/1477.
Four Share Certificates for 25 Shares each in the Peak Building Company, Limited, 258/261, 261/263, 263/266, 266/265.

The said Certificates are all made out in the name of HENRY EDWARD POLLOCK, and all persons are hereby warned from dealing with the same in any way.

HENRY EDWARD POLLOCK, Bank Buildings, Hongkong, 26th November, 1889. [1470]

THE SHAMEN HOTEL AND LAND COMPANY, LIMITED.

WANTED.

A MANAGER for the Hotel at Shamien, to be opened in about three weeks time. Apply by letter only to the Secretary. References and particulars as to Salary, &c. required.

J. A. BARRETTO, Secretary.

No. 2, D'Aguilar Street, Hongkong, 26th November, 1889. [1471]

HONGKONG LITERARY SOCIETY.

THE FIRST MEETING of the SESSION 1889-90, will take place on THURSDAY, the 28th November, at 9 P.M., at 18, Bank Buildings, when the Rev. JOHN CHALMERS, LL.D., will deliver an address.

BUSINESS:
Election of Officers and Committee.
Award for the best collection of Hongkong Moths and Butterflies.

JAMES CANTILE, Hon. Sec.
Hongkong, 26th November, 1889. [1472]

Entertainments.

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Hongkong, 18th November, 1889. [1212]

PERSEVERANCE LODGE OF

HONGKONG,

No. 1165.

AN EMERGENCY MEETING of the above LODGE will be held in FREEMASONS' HALL, Zealand Street, THIS EVENING, the 26th inst., at 8.30 for 9 O'CLOCK precisely.

Hongkong, 26th November, 1889. [1452]

Entertainments.

NOTICE.

BY the kind courtesy of the Colonel and Officers of the Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders the Band will play at the LADIES RECREATION CLUB, TO-MORROW, the 27th instant, at 4.30 p.m.

Hongkong, 25th November, 1889. [1464]

"IMPORTANT NOTICE."

A. S. WATSON & CO., LIMITED.

INVITE special attention to their last Ship-XMAS & NEW YEAR CARDS, JUST TO HAND.

A full Assortment of First Class Goods is now on View, including a Choice Selection of MARION'S PAINTED OPALS, and all the latest Novelties of the best English and Continental Artists to be found in the Market.

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DRY PLATES—Thomas, Ilford, Britannia, &c., kept in stock.

Photo Chemicals and Sundries of all kinds at Moderate Prices.

Hongkong, 18th November, 1889. [1435]

HONGKONG CRICKET CLUB.

GENTLEMEN desirous of playing in the Match, SCOTLAND v. THE WORLD proposed for 26th, 27th, and 28th December next, will kindly sign their names on the Notices lying in the Hongkong Club and the Cricket Pavilion.

ARTHUR K. TRAVERS, Hon. Secretary.

Hongkong, 15th November, 1889. [1424]

HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

ADJUSTMENT OF BONUS FOR THE YEAR 1884.

SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company are requested to furnish the Undersigned with a List of their Contributions for the year, ending 31st December last in order that the distribution of the Profits reserved for Contributors may be arranged. Returns not rendered prior to the 30th day of November next, will be adjusted by the Company, and no claims or alterations will be subsequently admitted.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers, Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ltd. Hongkong, 15th October, 1889. [1485]

HONGKONG AND KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY, LIMITED, AND REDUCED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Under-mentioned Shares in the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, and Reduced, viz.:—SCRIP No. 621 for 62 Shares Nos. 16890 to 16951 in the name of ALEXANDER MICHE have been LOST, and should the same not be produced before the Thirty-first day of December next, New Scrip will be ISSUED to the said ALEXANDER MICHE, and the aforesaid SCRIP No. 621 will be thereafter treated by this Company as null and void.

For the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, and Reduced, EDWARD OSBORNE, Acting Secretary.

Hongkong, 26th November, 1889. [1370]

Entertainments.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

No. 484.

WANTED the LEASE of a HOUSE, or part of a HOUSE, situated in Hollywood Road or neighbourhood, and available in January or February next, for the purposes of a Government School.

Applications to be forwarded to the Inspector of Schools.

By Command, A. LISTER, Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 23rd November, 1889. [1456]

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

No. 485.

TENDERS with specifications are invited for the construction of a composite-built HOSPITAL HULK of the following dimensions:—

Length over all 185 feet.
Extreme breadth at water line 38 0
Depth moulded 15 0

The drawings may be seen at the Harbour Office.

Tenders to reach this Office not later than Noon of SATURDAY, the 30th instant.

By Command, A. LISTER, Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 23rd November, 1889. [1455]

KOWLOON PIER.

NOTICE is hereby given that the PIER at Kowloon Point will be CLOSED on and after WEDNESDAY next, the 27th instant, until further notice.

Arrangements have been made with the Wharf and Godown Company to permit all craft now using the above pier to make temporary use of one of the Company's piers during the construction of the new pier.

S. BROWN, Surveyor-General.

Public Works' Department, Hongkong, 23rd November, 1889. [1457]

CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

ADJUSTMENT OF BONUS FOR THE YEAR 1888.

SHAREHOLDERS are hereby requested to send in to this Office a List of their Contributions of Premium for the year ending 31st December last, in order that the proportion of Profit for that year to be paid as Bonus to Contributors may be arranged. Returns not sent in before the 30th instant, will be made up by the Company, and no subsequent claims or alterations will be allowed.

By Order of the Directors, GEO. L. TOMLIN, Acting Secretary.

Hongkong, 1st November, 1889. [1361]

EAST BORNEO PLANTING COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE FIRST ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the HONGKONG HOTEL, on MONDAY, the 2nd December, at Noon, for the purpose of presenting the Report of the Directors and Statement of Accounts to 30th September last.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 21st inst. to the 2nd Proximo, both days inclusive.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., General Agents.

Hongkong, 16th November 1889. [1432]

THE GYMKHANA will be held on THURSDAY, the 28th instant, on the Racecourse, commencing at 2.30 p.m.

Present entries stand good, but post entries will be taken for the Polo Ball Race.

All communications on Gymkhana matters to be addressed in future to G. A. BRAMWELL Esq., Wellington Barracks, and not to the undersigned.

W. FLETCHER, Major R.A., Polo Secretary.

Commercial.

CLOSING QUOTATIONS.
 Hongkong and Shanghai Bank—183 per cent.
 Union Insurance Society of Canton—\$103 per share, buyers.
 China Traders' Insurance Company—\$72 per share, sales and buyers.
 North China Insurance—115.350 per share, buyers.
 Canton Insurance Company, Limited—\$130 per share.
 Yangtze Insurance Association—Tls. 96 per share.
 On Tai Insurance Company, Limited—Tls. 150 per share.
 Hongkong Fire Insurance Company—\$384 per share, sales.
 China Fire Insurance Company—\$85 per share, sales.
 Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Company—60 per cent, premium, sellers.
 Hongkong, Canton, and Macao Steamboat Co.—\$42 per share, sales and sellers.
 China and Manila Steam Ship Company—102 per share, sellers.
 Hongkong Gas Company—\$115 per share, sellers.
 Hongkong Hotel Company—\$210 per share, sellers.
 Hongkong Hotel Co.'s Six per cent. Debentures—\$50.
 Indo-China Steam Navigation Company, Limited—15 per cent. div. buyers.
 Douglas Steamship Company—\$67 per share, sellers.
 China Sugar Refining Company, Limited—\$203 per share, buyers.
 Luzon Sugar Refining Company, Limited—\$68 per share, buyers.
 Hongkong Ice Company—\$110 per share, sellers.
 Hongkong and China Bakery Company, Limited—\$50 per share, sellers.
 A. S. Watson & Co., Limited—\$23 per share, sellers.
 Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884 B—24 per cent, premium, sellers.
 Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884 C—5 per cent, premium, buyers.
 Chinese Imperial Loan of 1886 E—11 per cent, premium.
 Hongkong Rope Manufacturing Company, Limited—\$100 per share, sellers.
 The Hongkong Steam Laundry Co., Ltd.—\$25 per share.
 Puijoni and Sanghie Dua Samantan Mining Co.—\$18 per share, sales and sellers.
 Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company—\$92 per share, sales and buyers.
 Tongkin Coal Mining Co.—\$475 per share, sellers.
 The Hongkong High-Level Tramway Co., Limited—200 per cent, prem. sellers.
 The East Borneo Planting Co., Limited—\$61 per share, sellers.
 The Seng Lee Planting Co., Ltd.—\$51 per share, buyers.
 Crickbank & Co., Ltd.—\$40 per share, nom.
 The Steam Launch Co., Limited—nominal.
 The Austin Arms Hotel and Building Co., Ltd.—par, nominal.
 The China-Borneo Co., Ltd.—\$40 per share, buyers.
 The Hongkong Brick and Cement Co., Ltd.—\$18 per share, sellers.
 The Green Island Cement Co. (Old Issue)—\$43 per share, sales.
 The Green Island Cement Co. (New Issue)—\$61 per share, buyers.
 The Hongkong Land Investment Co., Ltd.—\$103 per share, buyers.
 The Hongkong Electric Light Co., Ltd.—\$41 per share, buyers.
 Geo. Fenwick & Co., Limited—\$30 per share, buyers.
 The West Point Buildings Co., Ltd.—\$45 per share, sellers.
 The Peak Hotel and Trading Co., Ltd.—\$24 per share, sellers.
 The Labuk Planting Co., Ltd.—\$17 per share, buyers.
 The Ichang Mining and Trading Co., Ltd.—\$5 per share, sellers.
 The Solama Tin Mining Co., Ltd.—\$41 per share, nominal.
 The Shamen Hotel Co., Ltd.—\$5 per share, nominal.
 The Kowloon Land Investment Co., Ltd.—\$17 per share, sellers.
 The Hongkong Marine, Limited—25 per cent, premium, buyers.

EXCHANGE.

ON LONDON.—Bank, T. T. 1/16
 Bank Bills, on demand 1/16
 Bank Bills, at 30 days sight 1/16
 Bank Bills, at 4 months sight 1/16
 Credits at 4 months sight 1/16
 Documentary Bills, at 4 months sight 1/16
 ON PARIS.—Bank Bills, on demand 4/03
 Credits, at 4 months sight 4/10
 ON INDIA, T. T. 1/16
 On Demand 1/16
 ON SHANGHAI.—Bank, T. T. 1/16
 Private, 30 days sight 1/16

MAILS EXPECTED.

THE GERMAN MAIL.
 The Norddeutscher Lloyd steamer *Prussia*, with the German mails of the 20th ultimo, left Singapore at noon on the 23rd instant, and may be expected here on or about the 28th.

THE AUSTRALIAN MAIL.
 The E. & A. S. S. Co.'s steamer *Guthrie*, left Port Darwin for this port on the 20th instant, and may be expected to arrive on the 30th.

THE CANADIAN MAILS.
 The Canadian Pacific steamer *Parthia*, left Vancouver for Japan and Hongkong on Friday afternoon, the 15th instant.
 The Canadian Pacific steamer *Port Augusta*, with Canadian mails, from Vancouver, left Yokohama on the 26th instant for Kobe and Hongkong.

STEAMERS EXPECTED.

The Navigazione Generale Italiana Co.'s steamer *Bisagno*, from Bombay, left Singapore on the 21st instant, and is due here on the 28th.
 The steamer *Lancelotti*, left Singapore on the 21st instant, and is expected here on the 28th.
 The Ocean Steamship Co.'s steamer *Antenor*, from Liverpool, left Singapore on the 22nd instant, and is due here on the 29th.
 The Ocean Steamship Co.'s steamer *Tacon*, from Liverpool, left Singapore on the 23rd instant, and is due here on the 30th.
 The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s extra steamer *Venetia*, left Bombay for this port at 4.30 p.m. on the 14th instant, and is expected here on or about the 1st proximo.
 The Ocean Steamship Co.'s steamer *Dracoon*, from Liverpool, left Singapore on the 24th instant, and is expected here on the 1st proximo.

Post Office.

A MAIL WILL CLOSE FOR EUROPE, AUSTRIA, INDIA, CALCUTTA, AND MANILA, ON MONDAY, NOVEMBER 27, 1889, AT 11:00 A.M.

Shipping.

ARRIVAL.
 LINGFIELD, British steamer, 1,473, John Brunstrom, 25th Nov.—London 25th Sept, and Singapore 15th Nov., General—Russell & Co.
 KONG BENG, British steamer, 862, R. Jones, 25th Nov.—Bangkok 17th Nov., General—Yuen Fat Hong.
 CHEANG HYE TENG, British steamer, 923, Wilkinson, 26th Nov.—Penang, and Singapore 17th Nov., General—Ban Hin.

CLEARANCES AT THE HARBOUR OFFICE.
Fushiki Maru, Japanese steamer, for Kutchinotzu.
Clara, German steamer, for Halphong.
Dardanus, British steamer, for Amoy, &c.
Sachsen, American ship, for Manila.
Cheang Hye Teng, British steamer, for Amoy.
Propontia, British steamer, for Kutchinotzu.

DEPARTURES.
 November 26, *Devadong*, British steamer, for Hoihow.
 November 26, *Haitan*, British steamer, for Swatow.
 November 26, *Freijr*, Danish str., for Hoihow.
 November 26, *Kwangle*, Chinese steamer, for Whampoa.
 November 26, *Thames*, British steamer, for Shanghai.
 November 26, *Glenorchy*, British steamer, for Shanghai.
 November 26, *Nizam*, British steamer, for Nagasaki, &c.

PASSENGERS-ARRIVED.
 Per *Lingfield*, str., from London, &c.—Mr. Geo. Hoyer.
 Per *Kong Beng*, str., from Bangkok.—69 Chinese.
 Per *Cheang Hye Teng*, str., from Penang, &c.—322 Chinese.

DEPARTED.
 Per *Freijr*, str., for Hoihow.—1 European and 80 Chinese.
 Per *Haitan*, str., for Foochow.—Dr. and Mrs. Taylor and 2 children, Miss Johnson and Miss Apperson.
 Per *Glenorchy*, str., for Shanghai.—4 Europeans.

REMARKS.
 The British steamer *Lingfield* reports that she left London on the 29th Sept., and Singapore on the 15th instant. Had strong north-east winds and heavy sea between lat. 3 north and 12 north; thence moderate easterly and north-easterly winds with fine clear weather.

The British steamer *Kong Beng* reports that she left Bangkok on the 17th instant, and met with fine clear weather and moderate variable winds to Pulo Obi. To Cape Padaran had fresh north-east winds, rainy and squally weather. From Cape Padaran to port had fine clear weather and moderate north-easterly winds with smooth sea.

The British steamer *Cheang Hye Teng* reports that she left Penang, and Singapore on the 17th inst. Had light variable winds on the 17th. On the 18th experienced strong north to north-west winds to the Anambas; thence to Cier de Melr had strong north to east-north-east winds with head sea; thence to this port had light and moderate wind and fine weather.

SHIPPING IN HONGKONG.

ARRIVAL.
 ANCONA, British steamer, 1,888, W. D. Mudie, 18th Nov.—Yokohama 10th Nov., Mails and General.—P. & O. S. N. Co.
 ARDAGH, British steamer, 1,076, J. Thom, 28th Oct.—Touzon 24th October, Ballast.—A. G. Morris.
 CASSANDRA, German steamer, 1,096, Thomson, 25th Nov.—Hamburg 24th August, and Singapore 17th Nov., General—Siemens & Co.
 CHANGSHA, British steamer, 1,465, J. E. Williams, 25th Nov.—Newcastle 6th Nov., Coals.—Butterfield & Swire.
 CHINA, German steamer, 648, T. Bruhn, 23rd Nov.—Deli 5th Nov., Singapore 8th, and Hoihow 21st, General—Melchers & Co.
 CITY OF PEKING, American ship, 5,129, J. M. Cavalry, 25th Nov.—San Francisco 29th Oct., and Yokohama 19th Nov., Mails and General.—P. M. S. S. Co.
 CLARA, German steamer, 674, Christensen, 23rd Nov.—Hoihow 21st Nov., Rice and General—Siemens & Co.
 DARDANUS, British steamer, 1,499, Purdy, 25th Nov.—Liverpool 15th Oct., and Singapore 18th Nov., General—Butterfield & Swire.
 DON JUAN, Spanish steamer, 654, Jose M. Marquez, 24th Nov.—Manila 21st Nov., General—Braudio & Co.
 FAME, British steamer, 117, W. W. Allan—Hongkong Government tender.
 FOKIEN, British steamer, 509, Lewis, 24th Nov.—Tamsui 21st November, Amoy 22nd, and Swatow 23rd, General—D. Laprak & Co.
 FUSHIKI MARU, Japanese steamer, 1,119, P. J. C. Franck, 23rd Nov.—Kutchinotzu 18th Nov., General—Mitsui Bussan Kaisha.
 GENERAL WERDER, German steamer, 1,820, M. Eichel, 22nd Nov.—Yokohama 13th Nov., Kobe 16th, and Nagasaki 18th, Mails and General—Melchers & Co.
 INDEPENDENT, German steamer, 871, W. J. Schaffer, 25th Nov.—Newchwang 16th Nov., Beas and General—Geo. R. Stevens & Co.
 KIEL, German steamer, 851, W. Kruttsch, 25th Nov.—Chefoo and Newchwang, 20th Nov., General—Geo. R. Stevens & Co.
 LIVINGSTONE, Norwegian steamer, 1,085, W. Wenner, 24th Nov.—Cherbon (Java), 31st Oct., Sugar.—Jardine, Matheson & Co.
 LOIRE INFÉRIEURE, French steamer, 531, Lehnede, 23rd Oct.—Nolito 17th October, Sapanwood.—A. R. Marty.
 MELBOURNE, French steamer, 2,567, Verron, 25th Nov.—Shanghai 23rd Nov., Mails and General—Messageries Maritimes.
 PHRA CHULA CHOM KLAO, British steamer, 1,019, A. Benson, 23rd Nov.—Bangkok 14th Nov., and Hoihow 23rd, General—Yuen Fat Hong.
 PRU-QUOC, French steamer, 183, Vallin, 25th Sept.—Touzon 20th Sept., Coals.—Wing Tai & Co.
 PILOT FISH, British steamer, 161, A. Stopand—Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Co.
 PRIZTO, German steamer, 655, Jensen, 14th Nov.—Whampoa 14th Nov., General—Siemens & Co.
 PROFONTO, British steamer, 1,387, Wm. H. Farland, 24th Nov.—Kutchinotzu 18th Nov., Coals and Sulphur.—Mitsui Bussan Kaisha.
 THALES, British steamer, 820, W. Y. Hunter, 15th Nov.—Tainanfo 12th Nov., Amoy 13th, and Swatow 14th, General—D. Laprak & Co.
 WHAMPOA, British steamer, 1,100, L. Hughes, 25th Oct.—Wellington, N.Z., 20th Sept., General—Butterfield & Swire.
 WINGKONG, British steamer, 1,516, A. de St. Croix, 24th Nov.—Calcutta 8th Nov., and Singapore 17th, General—Jardine, Matheson & Co.
 ZAVEN, British steamer, 675, McCaslin, 20th Nov.—Manila 17th Nov., General—Russell & Co.

SAILING VESSELS.

BENGALE, French bark, 544, Scott, 13th Nov.—Singapore 24th October, Wood.—Melchers & Co.
 B. P. CHERRY, American ship, 1,250, C. E. Humphreys, 6th Nov.—Newcastle 10th Sept., Coal.—Butterfield & Swire.
 CHAMBER, American ship, 1,379, D. S. Goodell, 24th June.—San Diego, Cal., 18th April, Ballast.—Russell & Co.
 COLUMBUS, German ship, 1,428, L. Haaloop, 22nd Oct.—Newcastle, N.S.W., 29th Aug., Coal.—Adamson, Bell & Co.
 CONQUEROR, American ship, 1,540, A. D. Lothrop, 17th June.—Anjer 1st June, Ballast.—Reuter, Brockmann & Co.
 DARRA, British bark, 999, Edward Finlayson, 5th Nov.—Singapore 13th Oct., Timber, Chinese.

ELIZABETH, German bark, 447, J. C. Frost, 19th Nov.—Whampoa 18th Nov., General—Order.
 ERKONG, Chinese bark, 457, Optum Examination hulk, Stonecutters' Island.—Chinese Customs.
 CUMBERIAN, British ship, 1,052, A. Waycott, 22nd Nov.—Middlelebury 2nd Iron and Cake.—Dunn, Melbye & Co.
 KITTY, British bark, 802, H. Wilson, 30th Aug.—Portland, Oregon 9th July, Lumber.—D. Musso & Co.

MABEL, American bark, 750, Snow, 19th Sept.—Newcastle, N.S.W., 11th July, Coal.—Adamson, Bell & Co.
 MARABOUT, British ship, 1,498, Ferguson, 5th Oct.—Newcastle 20th August, Coals.—Adamson, Bell & Co.
 NICOVA, British bark, 594, P. Johnson, 23rd Nov.—Whampoa 22nd Nov., General—Wiel & Co.

N. M. SLADE, American bark, 535, J. C. Teixeira, 1st October.—Cebu 4th Sept., Sugar and Hemp.—Captain.
 PRINCE, British bark, 720, Inokuy, 12th Oct.—Philippines 2nd Oct., Wood.—Gibb, Livingston & Co.

SACHIA, American ship, 1,311, J. Bartlett, 18th Nov.—Somona Island 15th Oct., Ballast.—Melchers & Co.
 SEA WICH, American ship, 1,285, Chas. H. Tabbot, Newcastle, N.S.W., May 21st, Coal.—Captain.
 S. MERCKES, Peruvian bark, 245, A. Manietige, 20th Nov.—Callao 10th August, Old Iron.—Order.

STRATHAIRN, British ship, 1,705, J. Robb, 27th Oct.—Cardiff 5th July, Coals and Coke.—Order.
 TA HONGKONG, Siamese ship, 635, E. Möller, 31st Oct.—Bangkok 5th October, Timber.—Captain.
 WM. CONYER, American ship, 1,423, Butman, 24th Sept.—Newcastle 6th August, Coal.—Butterfield & Swire.

WANDERING JEW, American bark, 1,650, D. C. Nichols, 30th Sept.—Newcastle, N.S.W., 21st August, Coal.—Order.

Intimations.

THE BALMORAL GOLD MINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

By order of the Board of Directors the Under-signed has this day been confirmed in the position of SECRETARY of the COMPANY. SCRP will be EXCHANGED for Bankers' Receipts on application at the Company's Office—2, Peider's Street, on and after the 25th instant.

K. A. STEVENS.
 Hongkong, 22nd November, 1889. [1448]

BELLIOS TRUST, No. 2.

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 THE TRUSTEES.
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 Hongkong, 20th November, 1889. [1483]

WANTED.

ACCOMMODATION as GODOWNS, Ground Floor and First Floor in Queen's Road Central, near the CLOCK TOWER.
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 Office of this Paper.
 Hongkong, 3rd October, 1889. [1227]

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

THE KWON KWAN YEEN CUPS, value \$200 and \$100 respectively. Also two Consolation Cups, value \$100 each.
 The 1st Stage of the Fourth Competition will be shot off next SATURDAY, the 30th November, at 2.15 P.M., commencing at 900 yards. Entries for this Stage close on FRIDAY next, the 29th November, at 5 P.M. Entrance Fee, 30 cents. There must be 16 competitors present or up competition can take place.
 A. SHELTON HOOPER, Hon. Secretary.
 Hongkong, 25th November, 1889. [85]

HONGKONG TIMBER YARD, WANCHAI.

OREGON PINE SPARS and LUMBER Always on Hand.
 L. MALLORY,
 Hongkong, 24th June, 1889. [743]

STEAMERS EXPECTED IN HONGKONG.

STEAMERS.	FROM.	DATE DUE.	AGENTS.
Lancelotti	Singapore	November 28th	Russell & Co.
Blasgro	Bombay	November 28th	Carlowitz & Co.
Preussen	Bremen	November 28th	Melchers & Co.
Antenor	London	November 29th	Butterfield & Swire.
Guthrie	Port Darwin	November 30th	Russell & Co.
Jasoa	Liverpool	November 30th	Butterfield & Swire.
Deccalion	Liverpool	November 30th	Butterfield & Swire.
Venetia	Bombay	December 1st	P. & O. S. N. Co.
Port Augusta	Vancouver	December 3rd	Adamson, Bell & Co.

STEAMERS LOADING IN HONGKONG.

DESTINATION.	VESSELS.	AGENTS.	DATE OF LEAVING.
London, &c., via Suez Canal	Kaisar-i-Hind	P. & O. S. N. Co.	Dec. 4th, at noon.
London, via Suez Canal	Anchises	Butterfield & Swire	To-morrow, at 4 p.m.
London	Arabic	Butterfield & Swire	December 10th.
Marseilles, via Saigon, &c.	Oopack	Arnhold, Karberg & Co.	December 5th.
Bremen, via Ports of Call.	Melbourne	Messageries Maritimes	To-morrow, at noon.
Genoa, via Bombay, &c.	Preussen	Melchers & Co.	Dec. 22nd, at 10 a.m.
San Francisco, via Ythama	Disagno	Carlowitz & Co.	Dec. 5th, at noon.
Vancouver, B.C., via K.	City of Peking	Pacific Mail S. S. Co.	Dec. 10th, at 1 p.m.
Calcutta, via Surtak.	Oceanic	O. & O. S. N. Co.	Dec. 28th, at 1 p.m.
Straits and Bombay.	Parthia	Adamson, Bell & Co.	Dec. 14th, at noon.
Yokohama, via Nag.	Wingsaba	Butterfield & Swire	Dec. 5th, at 4 p.m.
Yokohama, Kobe, &c.	Gwalior	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Nov. 30th, at noon.
Yokohama and Kobe	Ancona	P. & O. S. N. Co.	Dec. 7th, at noon.
Shanghai, via Amoy	General Wender	Melchers & Co.	Dec. 4th, daylight.
Shanghai, via Amoy	Lingfield	Russell & Co.	About Nov. 30th.
Shanghai	Dardanus	Butterfield & Swire	Nov. 29th, at noon.
Shanghai	Preussen	Butterfield & Swire	To-morrow, daylight.
Manila, via Amoy	Antenor	Butterfield & Swire	November 31st.
Swatow, Spore, Bangkok	Peking	Melchers & Co.	Quick despatch.
Swatow, Amoy, &c.	Don Juan	Siemens & Co.	Nov. 28th, at 4 p.m.
	P. C. Chem Kiao	Brando & Co.	To-morrow, at 3 p.m.
	Fokien	Yuen Fat Hong	Nov. 29th, daylight.
		Douglas Laprak & Co.	Nov. 28th, daylight.

Intimations.

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F. Blackhead & Co.,
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 Hongkong, 26th June, 1889. [83]

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 Hongkong 29th May, 1889. [339]

NOTICE.

P. C. FULLERT,
 LICENSED INLAND SEA PILOT
 NAQAARAKI.

Will meet ships off
 IWOSIMA OR ROKUREN.
 Telegraphic address:—
 FULLERT, Nagasaki.
 FULLERT, Kobe.
 13th November, 1889. [1413]

NOTICE.

HONGKONG & WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

SHIPMASTERS AND ENGINEERS

are respectfully informed that, if upon their arrival in this HARBOUR none of the COMPANY'S FOREMEN should be at hand, ORDERS FOR REPAIRS, if sent to the HEAD OFFICE, No. 14, Praya Central, will receive prompt attention.

In the event of complaints being found necessary, communication with the Under-signed is requested, when immediate steps will be taken to rectify the cause of dissatisfaction.

D. GILLIES,
 Secretary.
 Hongkong, 25th August, 1889. [24]

HONGKONG HIGH LEVEL TRAMWAYS COMPANY, LTD.

TIME TABLE.

WEEK DAYS.
 8 to 10 A.M. every quarter of an hour.
 12 to 2 P.M. every half hour (Tiffin Car at 12.45).
 3 to 7.30 P.M. every quarter of an hour.

THURSDAYS.
 NIGHT TRAM at 10.30 and 11 P.M.

SATURDAYS.
 NIGHT TRAM at 8.45, 9, 10.30, 11 P.M.

SUNDAYS.
 10.40 A.M.; 12 (NOON) to 2 P.M. every quarter of an hour.
 3 to 7.30 P.M. every quarter of an hour.

Special Cars may be obtained on application to the Superintendent.
 Single Tickets are sold in the Cars; Five-Cent Coupons and Reduced Tickets at the Office.
 MACLEWEN, FRICKEL & Co.,
 General Managers.
 Hongkong, 1st November, 1889. [105]

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